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The Influence of the Press.

"I came in to give you the item of my arrival in town," said a hairy man yesterday who wandered into the Boomerang office wearing an old-fashioned Seymour coat, split down the back, and a pair of low-necked, pants draped about him and daintily secured in front with a ten-penny nail.

"I passed through your town last May, and you noticed in your paper that I was a west-bound passenger on the overland train. I have called to tell you that I am on my way back."

"Had a pleasant trip?"

"Well, only partially so. I enjoyed the trip out to San Francisco very much. Went out in section No. 11 of Pullman to take a position as cashier of a Frisco bank, but when I got there I found an old man holding the job who had given good satisfaction for nine years."

"I hadn't the heart to take the place from him, and the president seemed to feel the same about it."

"So you didn't get the job?"

"No, not very much. I couldn't get confirmed by the senate. The president told me that perhaps I could get a position as sergeant-at-arms of a hen ranch up the gulch, but I embroiled four dozen eggs to take me to the circus, and while I was looking at the black-and-tan box constrictor a sheriff, or something of that kind, came along and called me down."

"I am now returning to my native town on my own recognizance, or on leg bail, as the vulgar herd would call it."

"Are you going by special car?"

"Not exactly. I got a chance to walk part of the way, and from here to Omaha I shall take the position of steer inspector extraordinary on a stock train. It is quite a change to go west on a Pullman and then work your passage home by punching cattle at the station. However, I wanted you to say simply that I passed through on my way east to-day, and I will send the paper home. I will pay you for it. You see, I'll get pretty near home and I'll take a bath and fix up a little, and I'll come into town in pretty good shape, and now all I want is the encouragement of the press. Do you seem to grasp my meaning?"

"Yes, sir; we tumble."

"All right. Just say that Mr. Wellington Kersikes, passed east yesterday in his special car, Boise City, having been on a visit to the Pacific Coast, with a view to purchasing the State of California as a country seat. That is a decomposed lie, of course, but you just say how much the strain on your conscience will be and I'll go down in my overalls and make it all right."

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BODIE, CALIFORNIA, TUESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 13, 1881.

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BANKS.

The Bodie Bank.

Capital \$50,000.

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Vice President, J. E. Goodall.
Cashier, Geo. H. Winterburn.

DIRECTORS:
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A. THIEHAULT.

Independence, Cal., Sept. 6, 1881. sep14

To Debtors of Silas B. Smith.

PAYMENT OF ALL ACCOUNTS TO BE made to me at the office of Bennett & Reddy. I will sue without fear or favor further notice or delay.

Geo. J. FORBES.

Bodie, August 30, 1881. 2w

CAUTION NOTICE!

MY WIFE, NELLIE E. HEILSHORN, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I caution the public against treating her on my account as I will not be responsible for her debts from this date.

CHARLES HEILSHORN.

Bodie, Sept. 6, 1881. sep8

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INSURANCE AGENCY.

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Girard Insurance Company, of Philadelphia.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$1,153,264

St. Paul Insurance Company, of St. Paul.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$854,305

Watertown Fire Insurance Co., of New York.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$908,438

New York City Insurance Co., of New York.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$424,341

New Orleans Insurance Association, of New Orleans.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$573,216

People's Insurance Company, of Newark.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$45,978

Teutonia Insurance Company, of New York.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$375,291

Dwelling House Underwriters, of New York.

Assets, January 1, 1881, \$2,229,278

La Confiance Insurance Company, of London.

Assets, January 1, 1880, \$6,679,565

Berlin Cologne Insurance Co., of London.

The New York Truth says that Tilden is determined to be President before he dies, as he has resolved not to die until he has been President.

A man in Canada cured his horse of balking by building a fire under him. But the animal was not much affected by the performance. Having a stubborn mind he allowed himself to be burned to death.

Miss Cook and Miss Jewett rode a race in Minnesota a few days ago and the former won. One of the horses died after running nine miles. If these two worthy young ladies had been at work on a washboard for two hours or more the matter would never have been telegraphed.

A new penitentiary bill has been introduced in the Georgia Senate to guard against the evils of brutal overseers when the convicts are sent out to labor. Under it the lessees will have in each camp some person in whose judgment they have confidence, whose duty it will be to administer such punishment as is necessary to the discipline of the camps, while the officious guards will have before them the fear of a term in the penitentiary if they take advantage of their position to abuse the prisoners.

The Daily Report says: "Any young man who is over 5 feet 4 inches in height, and weighs over 120 and under 190 pounds may have a chance to do something for his country in Arizona. Uncle Sam will pay such gentlemen \$13 per month to allow themselves to wear a blue blouse and be chased around the country by Apaches. In accordance with the good old practice, all recruits are to be sent at once to Arizona, where—uninstructed and badly armed and mounted—they will be expected to try conclusions with some of the best-fighting and best armed and mounted horsemen on the continent. In the meantime a thousand veterans will lend eclat to the festivities at Yorktown."

The New York Tribune in an article on Dakota says: "There is no check yet to the wonderful development of Dakota, which has been for the past two years the most striking proof of the growth of the West. The Northern Pacific Railroad is now completed clear across the Territory and is well into Montana. In the southern part of the Territory two railroads have reached the Missouri river and are located to the Black Hills. The eastern section is traversed by rail almost from the Nebraska to the Manitoba frontier, and many local roads are finished and in process of construction. As settlement advances the bad lands recede. A large portion of Dakota's vast domain is found to be excellent grain and grazing land. From this domain we shall see created during the next decade two agricultural states vying in resources and population with Iowa and Minnesota."

In the days of Elizabeth all London was comprised within the walls of the city, the space immediately outside being known as "The Liberties." Both the maiden queen and her successors, the two Stuarts, viewed with jealousy suspicion any enlargement of the privileged area of the capital, says an exchange, and passed law after law forbidding new houses to be built outside the walls. There came at last a time when between 200,000 and 300,000 inhabitants were crowded into the narrow space within these walls, born, living and dying within the city precincts. And of this time the wealthy livery companies, originated by men who actually carried on the trades and crafts from which they took their names and whose functions were the regulation of their trades and the making provision for decayed tradesmen and artificers and their families, are almost the single relic that survives.

Too True, Too True. Man that is born of woman is of many days and full of trouble. In the morning he draws his salary, and in the evening behold it is all gone. It is a tale that is told, it vanishes, and no one knoweth whither it goeth. He riseth up clothed in the chilly garments of the night and seeketh the somnolent paregoric wherewith to heal the colicky bowels of his infant offspring. He imiteth the horse or ox, and draweth the chariot of his posterity. He spendeth his shekels in the purchase of fine linen and purple to cover the bosom of his family, yet he is seen at the gates of the city with one suspender. He cometh forth for a flower, and is out down that the tender roots thereof will sprout again, but man goeth to his home, and what is he then? Yea, he is altogether wretched.

TELEGRAPHIC MELANGE

A Soldier Attempts to Shoot Guiteau

BUT THE BALL MISSES ITS MARK.

How the President is Faring at Long Branch.

FIFTEEN PERSONS DROWNED IN LAKE MICHIGAN.

[Special Dispatches to the Free Press.]

GENERAL EASTERN NEWS.

Guiteau and Some of His Enemies.

New York, Sept. 12.—The Times Washington special says: Another attempt was made to-night to kill the assassin Guiteau. There is reason to believe that a few days ago there was some talk among the soldiers detailed to guard him in regard to which one of them should be chosen to shoot at him whenever he should present his head at the window of his cell where it could be seen from the outside. It was decided that the work should be done by Sergeant John A. Mason of Company B Second Artillery, and he made preparations for it. This morning three wagon loads of soldiers left the arsenal for the jail to relieve the day guards. Mason was in a front wagon and his companions noticed that he was fumbling with the lock of his gun and was acting strangely. Nothing was said to him, however. When his wagon reached the jail, Mason got out, pushed forward until he reached a small hillock, brought his gun to his shoulder, took steady aim at Guiteau's window and shouted, "There he is," and fired. Before the smoke cleared away the other soldiers gathered around him. "In Heaven's name," cried Private Davis, "why did you shoot?" "I wanted to kill that wretch in there," was the reply. "I have been at it for ten days; I hope I have done it in good style." Mason then walked towards the commanding officer, Captain McGilroy, saying, "Captain, I have tried to kill that dirty liar in there. Here is my gun and bayonet; take me in charge." McGilroy had heard the shot but had not dreamed of Mason's intention. He placed him in the custody of two soldiers. There was much excitement about the jail, and the prisoners who had heard the shot ran to the windows and shouted. Warden Crocker and his deputies, who had been in the jail office, ran through the corridors to Guiteau's cell and found him on his knees, with his hands clasped in prayer. "Do they want to murder me?" he asked. The warden said he had no fear. "But I've been shot at," said Guiteau; "I was standing at my window when one of those soldiers fired at me. The ball passed by my ear, went through my coat hanging up there and tore in pieces the photograph of my mother which was in the pocket." The warden satisfied himself that the ball had not hit the prisoner's body and then went outside to see who fired the shot. It was agreed that it would be best to tell Guiteau that the shooting had been accidental. This was told him, the explanation being that a soldier in getting out of the wagon had accidentally discharged his gun. It was decided that Guiteau should be removed to another cell. He was placed in one formerly occupied by Baystone, who murdered his wife.

No Signs of Lung Disease. Washington, Sept. 12.—Secretary Kirkwood this afternoon received the following dispatch from Long Branch and signed by Secretary Hunt and Postmaster General James: Everything is encouraging. The President passed a good night. He looks much better and his symptoms are favorable.

ELBERTON, Sept. 12.—MacVeagh is much encouraged and says that the surgeons are confident that the alarming features of lung trouble are passing away.

ELBERTON, N.J., Sept. 13.—3 P.M.—The President passed an unusually good night, his sleep being uninterrupted except occasionally to enable him to take nourishment. Separation from parrot gland has almost ceased and the opening from which the pus discharged is rapidly healing. His cough is less and expectation naturally diminished. His temperature is 98.4, pulse 100, respiration 18.

Long Branch, Sept. 12.—The morning bulletin has had the effect of allaying somewhat the apprehensions of last night, but whether the lung trouble will pass away or develop into an abscess cannot yet be predicted. Postmaster General James saw the President this morning. He says he found him in good spirits and generally much better than he dared to expect. A brief conversation occurred during the course of which the President firmly grasped James' hand and spoke in a very clear voice. His eyes were especially bright and natural looking. The Postmaster General is impressed with the improvement. As the day passes the President improves and the surgeons feel more encouraged, and express the opinion that the lung complication is under control. At 4 o'clock Dr. Bliss says the President's pulse is 106, temperature 99.2, respiration 20, and that he is having a bright day.

Wreck of a Vessel and Loss of Life. FRANKFORT, Mich., Sept. 12.—The steamer Columbia of the Northeastern Line foundered off Frankfort on Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Fifteen persons were drowned. Among the number are Captain Malcomb, second mate, Capt. Malcomb; first engineer, Mr. Crosby; second engineer, Wm. Wilkin; fireman, George Bonson, Wm. Sherman, Harry Simmons, Miss Fitzgerald, and a lady said to be from Chicago, and several others. The bodies of the captain, first and second engineer, Miss Fitzgerald and a young man, unknown, have come ashore. The steamer was bound from Chicago to Collingwood, Canada, laden with grain. She shifted her cargo and in

about fifteen minutes she sank. The passengers and crew got away from the steamer in a small boat, but the boat containing the captain and engineers was capsized.

Sitting Bull and His Gang.

St. Paul, Sept. 12.—A Yates special says: The removal of Sitting Bull and his band of Indians numbering one hundred and seventy-five from the Standing Rock agency has been accomplished safely. The steamer Sherman arrived at 11 o'clock a. m. Bull had been very defiant and said he would make a change to Fort Randall, but by careful preparations made by the commanding officer his band was surrounded by a squad of soldiers and forced step by step down the bank onto the boat, which then started down the river to Fort Randall. A nephew of Sitting Bull made some resistance and was knocked down with the butt end of a musket. A squad of the band, made desperate by removal, killed her child and tried to commit suicide. It is thought that preparations at Randall are such as will prevent trouble there.

The Pacific Railroad Route to Be Examined.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Chief Clerk Pickert, who is now West making arrangements to examine into the affairs of the Pacific Railroad, will go over the Central Pacific books and will submit a report, supplement to that made and submitted by Auditor French, before the latter resigns. French's report omitted a number of details regarding the Central Pacific affairs which the Interior Department wants on file. French covers the financial and operation of the road, but probably Pickert will thoroughly examine and review French's report. Since French's report was submitted the Central Pacific has paid in \$144,000 towards a sinking fund.

Certain Manufacturers Want Congress to Repeal the Tariff.

New York, Sept. 12.—The Tribune says: An effort is to be made to hold a convention of manufacturers, the object of which is to urge on Congress the appointment of a committee to revise the present tariff in the interest of American industry. An executive committee has the matter in charge and many of the foremost men in the country are members. The west is being well represented.

A Terrible Landslide.

Berne, Switzerland, Sept. 12.—A landslide occurred last evening near the village of Colmine, in the canton of Glarus. Two hundred people were killed and thirty houses destroyed.

PACIFIC COAST.

Indian News.

Tucson, Sept. 12.—Colonel Biddle, commanding operations in the field, and Lieutenant Clark of the Sixth Cavalry are at Thomas today, having come over the trail from the direction of Fort Apache. The citizens of Prescott have organized a militia company of twenty-five. Half-breeds have been enlisted as scouts and will join Colonel Price, commanding the district of Verde. Price is now moving through Tonto Basin towards Guadalupe. Fort McDowell, Bowie, Grant and Lowell, and Wilcox station will be sold to the citizens.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—A dispatch from Tucson says: The following has been received from Thomas: Col. Biddle arrived from Apache yesterday en route for Wilcox. Lieutenant Clark arrived yesterday with his company of scouts, who are to be mustered out. Lieutenant Bennett, accompanied by Frank Bennett, chief of the scouts, enlisted thirty-five Indian scouts—twenty of them being Yumas and Navajos and fifteen Tontos. They left this morning for New Mexico.

S. French, a stock rancher living eighteen miles above Apache, now here, and ascertained by telegraph last night that his wife and six children had taken refuge at Cooley's ranch. The Indians had driven off four hundred head of stock and sixty horses at Cooley's ranch. French now thirty white families and one hundred and fifty Indian squaws and children guarded by friendly Indians. Yesterday Captain Ramers and Company E, commanded by Lieutenant Stanton, left for Apache. Major Turner's company is under marching orders.

Colonel Schully, post quartermaster, is building a large ferry boat to enable the troops to cross the Gila River readily, which would indicate renewed activity.

A Burglar Shot.

TULARE, Cal., Sept. 12.—This morning a thief entered a sleeping room at Moreys & Michaels' store. Mr. Michaels and a clerk, sleeping in the room, were awakened and could see him standing near the window. Michaels called upon him to state who he was, whereupon receiving no answer the boy fired two shots from a pistol. The thief said he was shot and asked for a doctor. It was found that one ball passed through the right lung and lodged in the muscles of the back. The other entered the left breast to the left of the nipple. He has given the name of Barry Jones and Sullivan. The first is supposed to be correct. There are evidences that he is an old convict. It is thought by some that he might belong to the gang of robbers who dined the train near Cape Horn, as he says he worked on the section above Rocklin.

Religious.

WOODLAND, Cal., Sept. 12.—The State meeting of the Christian Church broke up this morning after a session of ten days. It is said there were from 3000 to 4000 persons on the grounds. The conference proceedings show that the finances are in a satisfactory condition. The State meeting will be held at San Jose next year.

Dividing of the Profits.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—The Northern Belle Company has declared its regular dividend of 50 cents per share, and an extra dividend of 25 cents per share.

For an excellent cocktail go to the Senate saloon.

NEWS ITEMS

Land speculation is very active in Chicago.

The hackmen of Niagara Falls will be punished for their capacity by the introduction of Herdic coaches.

Just before dying, at Altamont, Illinois, a woman confessed the entirely unsuspected murder of her first husband.

Vice President Arthur's warm friends are cooling off a little under the influence of the latest news from Long Branch.

It is said that Gaston county, North Carolina, contains more whisky distilleries than any other county in the United States.

The great public improvement Cincinnati now shouts for is the reduction of her taxation. There are other cities in the same condition.

The White Sulphur Springs property in Virginia has been sold to satisfy liens for \$19,000. The original cost was \$160,000. The property contains 1439 acres.

If salt will preserve her Michigan should endure, for she is the principal salt-producing State of the Union. According to late census figures, her yield of salt was almost one-half the whole production of the country.

It is said by physicians in charge of lunatic asylums that the number of insane patients has greatly increased during the last few weeks. The great cause of mental disturbance seems to be due to the condition of the President.

The Charleston News and Courier is in complete accord with Senator Ben Hill, who does not care to talk about what may happen if the President should die, but who says plainly that he does not approve of the opinions imputed to Senator Beck of Kentucky.

The Mother of the James Boys.

Mrs. Samuels, the mother of the James boys, whose exploits in the Western country have given them an infamous notoriety, looks upon her villainous progeny as heroes. She lives about four miles from Kearney, Clay county, Missouri, and always appears in Kansas City after the commission of a conspicuous crime. After the recent train robbery, in which her sons are supposed to have participated, she arrived there, in accordance with the predictions of the police, anxious to hear all the news and talk about her "boys." She affirms that Jesse and Frank are dead, and therefore cannot have been engaged in the robbery, but not the least confidence is placed in anything she may say.

SPECIAL LOCAL NOTICES.

Spring lamb at the City Market. o
Call at Wright's drug store and try a fine cigar for a bit. *
Velvet and walnut picture frames at Fort's. *
Fresh candies received every week at Fort's. o
For the very best bit cigar in town go to Fort's. o
For school books, stationery, pocket cutlery, and notions go to Fort's. o
Families wishing chickens or turkeys can leave their orders at the Parlor Eating House. o
Veteran, Airy Fairy, Long Cut, Durham, Cleopatra, and Lone Jack smoking tobaccos at Fort's. o
Salt water bath of all kinds will be received daily by Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express at the Parlor Eating House. o
Subscribe for your papers at M. M. Gillespie's. o
Cocktails and fancy drinks at the Senate. Sample them. *
Prescriptions a specialty at Wright's drug store. *
White and colored shirts and a fine line of underclothing at Lansing's. *
Lanset styles of ties, bows and scarfs at Lansing's. *
Gentlemen in need of furnishing goods should call at Lansing's and inspect his stock. *
Prof. Morse, at Caldwell & Falkingham's, the best bit cigar on the coast. *
John Wagner will pay the highest price for chickens at the Capitol Chop Stand. *
For fine chicken breakfasts or dinners go to the Capitol Chop Stand. *
Finest milk punches in town made by Shannon and Magee at Richardson's. o
Pleasant rooms to rent over the Post-office from \$10 up. The finest location in town. o
All of the 900 numbers of the Seaside Library, embracing works of fiction and history, for sale at Gillespie's Postoffice Store. o
Mono House. Rooms by day or month. o
Best bit cigars in town at M. M. Gillespie's. o
The "Old Reliable" is still the best. There is no comparison with the Chicago beer. o

Fine Photographs.

Kemp & Coleman are now prepared to do all kinds of photographic work. They have a well appointed studio and guarantee to take the best pictures in town. They have on hand a large number of old negatives, and those who wish to have their photographs retaken at reduced rates should give them a call. o

Dancing Academy.

Prof. Couture's dancing academy class for ladies and gents together, every Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Private lessons given at any time during the week, at the hall or at the party's residence. A grand soiree every Saturday evening. The respectable public's patronage is respectfully solicited. Yours respy
Ed. A. COUTURE.

Bedrock Prices.

Ben. Eggleston, at his new store one door south of the Postoffice, has just received a large assortment of groceries and provisions. Further reductions have been made in all staple groceries. Call and see the large amount of groceries you can buy for a small sum of money. o

BEST COAL OIL.

Genuine Pearl Brand. o
One hundred and fifty degrees fire test, \$5.50 per case, \$3.00 per can, 60 cents per gallon, at Wheaton & Luhrs. o

Bird Cages.

At M. M. Gillespie's Postoffice store. o
Do not forget to go to the City Market for spring lamb. o

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All parties holding claims against the North Standard Mining Company must present the same, in duplicate, to the undersigned on or before the first day of each month; and payment will be made on the 5th otherwise they will lay over till the following month. o
HARRY LORRYEA.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE SOUTHERN TRANSPORTATION COMPANY desire to thank the public for their liberal patronage during the past three years and a half, and at the same time to announce that on and after this date their time will be discontinued, at least temporarily. The low rates to which freights have been reduced have led us to this conclusion. We shall turn out our stock for the present and in the event that rates are so increased as to admit of a reasonable profit, we shall again resume, and will take contracts for hauling fast freight from Carson to Bodie for a year, or a shorter period.

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ADAM GILLISPIE, Agent.
Bodie, Sept. 12, 1881. sept13-1m

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DAN WAGNER IS MY AUTHORIZED Agent for collecting for the Parlor Eating House. ROBERT G. SMITH Bodie, August 1, 1881. sept14

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610 Ophir, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
610 Mexican, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
520 Gould & Curry, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
100 Best & Belcher, 13 1/2
110 California, 1 1/2
635 Savage, 3 3/4, 3 3/4, 3 3/4
2500 Cal. Virginia, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
250 Chollar, 1 1/2
510 Potosi, 3 3/4, 3 3/4, 3 3/4
250 Hale & Norcross, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
430 Crown Point, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
650 Yellow Jacket, 5 1/2, 5 1/2
170 Imperial, 1 1/2
120 Keweenaw, 1 1/2
55 Alpha, 4
100 Belcher, 2 1/2
250 Nevada, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
90 Utah, 1 1/2
80 Bullion, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
1680 Eschschuer, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
25 Beg Belcher, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
1570 Overman, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
220 Justice, 1 1/2
2145 Union, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
330 Alta, 3 1/2, 3 1/2, 3 1/2
280 Silver Hill, 1 1/2
375 Lady Washington, 1 1/2
20 Occidental, 1 1/2
600 Andes, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
875 Scorpion, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
450 Benton, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
100 N. W. Fargo, 1 1/2

AFTERNOON BOARD.

180 Bodie, 9
200 Bechtel, 1
250 Flota, 2 1/2
100 Goodhawk, 5 1/2
100 Blackhawk, 1 1/2
60 Mono, 3 1/2, 3 1/2
85 Oro, 4 1/2
180 Adenda, 1 1/2
500 Sunday, 1 1/2
100 Summit, 2 1/2
120 Silver King, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
350 Flota, 2 1/2
320 Flota, 2 1/2
40 Eureka, 2 1/2
30 Northern Belle, 1 1/2
1180 Day, 2 1/2
85 Albion, 1 1/2
350 East Mt. Diablo, 2 1/2

CLOSING QUOTATIONS—P. M.

Union, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
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Con. Virginia, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
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Utah, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
Savage, 3 3/4, 3 3/4, 3 3/4
Hale & Norcross, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
Potosi, 3 3/4, 3 3/4, 3 3/4
Chollar, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
Union, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
Overman, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
Belcher, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
Albion, 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 1 1/2

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrivals Sunday.
FROM HAWTHORNE—BY STAGE.
J. Naphtaly, J. J. Trynor.
FROM HAWTHORNE—BY WELLS-FARGO.
H. J. Edwards, Mrs. Moore.

Departures Sunday.
FOR HAWTHORNE—BY WELLS-FARGO.
H. Moore, H. W. Pierce,
J. Wilson, H. C. White,
H. Maney, G. Greenleaf,
J. McCann, P. Andros.

Departures Monday.
FOR HAWTHORNE—BY STAGE.
Mrs. J. L. Greeley, H. G. Lambert,
W. J. Kelley, Mr. W. C. Fellows,
A. Verin, Mr. Neil.

FOR HAWTHORNE—BY WELLS-FARGO.
J. S. Simpson, J. S. Savage,
W. W. Springstead, C. W. Daly,
J. McIsaac, T. Snyder,
J. McDonald & W. E. Bailey,
C. Chumford, F. M. Warrington,
W. H. Brotherton, Capt. Geo. Macfarlane.

Departures Tuesday.
FOR HAWTHORNE—BY STAGE.
G. H. Wheaton, Miss C. Randolph,
Antoine De Pauli.

BORN.
RICHARDSON—In Bodie, Sept. 12, 1881, to the wife of C. A. Richardson, a daughter.

DIED.
FROST—In Sacramento, Sept. 5, 1881, Miss Lucy M. Frost, a native of Michigan, aged 36 years, and formerly of Bodie.

A Big Job.
Jesse Summers, of this town, has contracted to haul fifty tons of soda and thirty-two and a half tons of salt, to be used by Sheriff Shovers at the Mammoth mill, at Mammoth City, to Bodie. Mr. Summers has put two horse teams on the road to do the hauling. The teams will probably be engaged till December, or till the snow falls, in hauling the Mammoth personal effects to Bodie—Bridgeport Union.

In Town.
Mr. M. King, of King's Ranch, was in town Monday. He reports crops good. The squash is a success; the potatoes large and many in a hill. As for hay, the bales never were quite so well formed. Constable Stebbins is now on the ranch studying the habits of the bull calf and patient ox. The liberal use of buttermilk has reduced his temperature to 78, respiration 12.

For the Yosemite and Beyond.
James Norman, of late employed by Wheaton & Luhrs, and H. L. Pentress, a druggist in the Bodie Pharmacy, left this morning for the Yosemite Valley. After taking a look at the wonderful valley (they go by way of Bloody Canyon) they will journey to San Francisco. Mr. Pentress will also visit in San Jose, and from there he will go to his home in North Carolina. It is the wish of many friends that the journey will be pleasant and fruitful, in one way if not in another.

Transfers of Real Estate.
The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:
September 1—Isaac A. Langrell to John B. Thornton; lot on Main street, Lundy; \$550.
September 5—George Miller to Mrs. Wm. H. Kienborts; lot 11, block 11, Bodie; \$60.
September 6th—Annie J. Parker to Mary McAnn; lot 15, in block 9, Bodie; \$80.
September 8—O. T. Barber to George Gilson; lots 44, 71, 87, and 89, in block 21; lot 70, block 27; all in Bodie; also one magazine near Bodie; also lots of land and buildings thereon in Mammoth and Pine City; also lot on King street, Bodie.
September 9th—Annie J. Parker to Frank Higgins; lot on Main street, west of Bryant's store; \$900.

LOCAL MINING NEWS.

THE OPERATIONS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Work Resumed in the University and Spaulding—Progress in the Lent and Standard Shafts.

The Oro Putting in Concentrators—Other Points on the Lode.

Among the agreeable features of the past week was the resumption of operations in the University and Spaulding mines. It looks well to see the work of development progressing in these valuable properties, where it has been so long suspended. The two free concentrators recently purchased by the Oro Company are about ready to start up in connection with five stamps of the Silver Hill mill. Experienced men express the opinion that this is to prove a success, in which event more concentrators will be added. The Standard is again sinking the main shaft, which is down 1064 feet. The Lent shaft is down 740 feet, and the flow of water is not very great. The lower winzes in the Bodie are in good order, some of it being very rich. The west crosscut, 600-foot level of the Red Cloud shaft, is in 131 feet. Bodie Tunnel, Bechtel and Syncline are milling as usual, and satisfactorily. Com. Pacific, South Bulwer, Blackhawk, Tioga and Boston Con. are doing prospecting work. Work will be resumed in the Champion shortly. The following is a detailed report of operations:

Standard Con.

During the week there was extracted and shipped to the mills 1261 tons of ore from the 300, 385, 500 and 550-foot levels. The pulp assay for the week was \$33 12; crude bullion received 4502 ounces; amount shipped to San Francisco \$47,359 07. The shaft is now down 1062 feet. The east crosscut on the 1000-foot level is in from the shaft 398 feet; progress 6 feet. The west crosscut is in 312 feet. There is nothing new to report at these points. The south drift from the west crosscut, 700-foot level, is in 150 feet; progress 10 feet in good formation. The west crosscut from the north drift, 500-foot level, has been advanced 7 feet in hard blasting ground; total length 137 feet. Upraise No. 6 from the south drift, 500-foot level, is up 90 feet; progress 9 feet, showing the ledge 5 feet wide. South drift No. 2, 385-foot level, is in from the east crosscut 144 feet, showing good ore the entire width of the drift. The south winze to connect with the 500-foot level is down 42 feet. The stopes throughout the mine are looking well and yielding as usual. The ledge continues the usual width.

Bodie Con.

There were 106,392 tons of ore hauled to the mill during the week ending the 10th inst., and 106,697 tons were crushed. The average assay value of the pulp was \$53 24 and of the tailings \$10 06 per ton. The shipment will be \$6283 77. The north drift No. 3, 6th level, is now 128 feet in length, having been driven 8 feet since last report. The vein is somewhat broken. Winzes Nos. 6 and 9 have each been sunk 6 feet, so that the former is 58 and the latter 31 feet in depth. In these winzes the hanging wall is very regular and regular, but the foot wall of the vein is more or less broken, and seams of quartz sometimes very rich in gold and silver, run down into it from the wall above. On this account the winze will be driven on the foot wall of the vein instead of on the hanging wall as heretofore.

Tioga.

Measurements at the Tioga mine for the past week are as follows: The 982-foot level, north lateral drift, 359 feet; progress 14 feet. East crosscut, 188 feet; progress 6 feet. There is no change worthy of note in either of these drifts. They have started two cross-cuts from the north lateral drift, east crosscut No. 2 and west crosscut No. 2, and have extended them 8 and 9 feet respectively. The west crosscut has passed through a formation composed of quartz and porphyry, the quartz giving good assays. Nothing of interest to report in east crosscut No. 2. The flow of water remains unchanged. They had employed during the week in and about the mine 3 engineers, at \$5 per day; 1 carpenter, at \$1 per day; 1 woodman, at \$4 per day; 1 carman, at \$4 per day, and 6 miners, at \$4 per day.

Blackhawk.

Progress in the north drift at the bottom of the mine 6 feet. They have two well defined walls, two feet apart, standing nearly, if not quite, perpendicular. About two-thirds of the matter on the floor is a mixture of clay and sand, and the rest is a hard, compact, and well decomposed porphyry. The balance of the vein on the east wall is good looking ore. This shows a vast improvement and these interests it should feel it encouraged. Everything is going on smoothly.

Boston Con.

The north drift on the 300-foot level has reached a distance of 395 feet from the station. The vein in the face holds a uniformity of about 3 1/2 feet with a narrow note in the character or value of ore coming from the vein at this point. The west crosscut on the 400-foot level has been advanced 7 feet; total length, 48 feet. The face is in easy blasting ground with many favorable indications of a near approach to the vein.

Con. Pacific.

The west crosscut on the 600-foot level has been advanced 8 feet; total length 264 feet, passing through porphyry without any change since last report. The winze started below this level has been temporarily discontinued and work has been again started on the west crosscut on the 500-foot level; the same has been cleaned out and timbered near the face. They are now breaking ground, driving on its course.

Bodie Tunnel.

The south drift on ledge No. 21 has been advanced 5 feet during the past week. Ore is being extracted from the south works. Eighty-four tons of ore was sent to the mill last week which assayed \$34 per ton. The various ledges look well and matters are progressing nicely. A portion of the machinery for the new mill is now on the road from Hawthorne.

Addenda.

Stopping ore from the 500-foot level is still in progress, and the vein improves toward the north, where it is two feet wide of high grade. Operations have been resumed in the main east crosscut. Connection has been made by upraise between the 400 and 360-foot levels. An east crosscut has been started on the 360-foot level.

out from No. 1 vein, 512-foot level, measures 76 feet, passing through very hard rock, showing seams of quartz.

North Standard.

Harry Loryea, Superintendent of this mine, makes the following weekly report: The east crosscut has been advanced 14 feet since last report. The ledge continues to show good ore and is 3 1/2 feet wide. The stopes look well. The ledge in the north stopes is 5 feet wide and of a good quality. In the south stopes the ledge is 6 feet wide. There has been no great improvement in the rich stringers encountered in this stopes last week. They are more regular and better defined.

Homer (Mill Creek).

The drift on the Seneca vein has been advanced 9 feet; total length, 58 feet, passing through fair working ground. The vein in the face is about 2 feet in width, assaying, gold \$12 56, silver \$3 43, total \$21 99.

Bulwer Con.

The west crosscut from the south drift on the 500-foot level of the Standard mine has been advanced 7 feet in hard blasting rock, and is now in 137 feet with no change in the character of the rock since last report.

Red Cloud Con.

During the past week the 600 west crosscut was lengthened 24 feet, making the total length of crosscut 131 feet. The flow of water is the same as last reported. The pumps are making 5 1/2 strokes per minute.

South Bulwer.

During the past week work was resumed in the main shaft; progress 5 feet; total depth 685. The water has decreased and there is no trouble in working.

University.

Work has been resumed in the drifts on the 500 and 600-foot levels, in both of which the ledge looks well, and already shows a manifest improvement.

Lent Shaft.

The working of sinking this shaft continues. Its total depth is 740 feet. The flow of water is light—not enough to give trouble.

Oro.

Five stamps of the Silver Hill mill will be started up this week in connection with the 500-foot level. Work in the mine is in progress as usual.

Syncline.

Enough ore is being taken out to keep the mill running, and it is of fair mill quality. The stopes look and work well.

North Noonday.

The north drift, 412-foot level, No. 2 vein shows no change; progress for the week 13 feet.

A Wealth of Treasure.

"Anorora has been one of the richest mining districts in the country. Take a walk up Cottonwood Gulch as far as the base of Mount Braly, with Turkey Hill on the right and Silver Hill on the left. Turkey Hill is presumed to be so called because of the numerous flocks of wild turkeys which found an abiding place there in the infancy of the camp," says the Herald. "One old resident has gone so far as to inform us that in the early days these turkeys were so tame that they were hunted and readily killed with clubs. This assertion we do not vouch for and simply give it for what it is worth. But take a stroll up this gulch and continuously, on either hand, can be noticed dilapidated ruins of old buildings, crumbling walls of breweries, brick and stone cellars of miners, and residences of various kinds and classes. These walls are actually put up of material largely carrying gold. Does anyone believe that this gold is not there? It is there in paying quantities. Does any old and practical miner believe that the mines of Anorora have ever been practically and systematically worked? Why not all this treasure lying in these hills when it is to be had for the simple work of it up? The answer is simple and pointed: The lack of capital and mills. Eastern capitalists are just looking for believing that a mill will be erected here within a twelvemonth. A little ten-stamp mill put in place here would pay for itself within two years."

A Case of Battery.

George Callahan appeared before Judge Phlegaron Monday to answer to a charge of battery on the person of a miner named Lawrence. It appears that Lawrence had boarded with Mr. Callahan for some time—until he owed him something like \$1500. He received his monthly salary and while in the restaurant he was asked to pay a portion of his board bill. This Lawrence refused to do, and as he was paying the bill, the restaurant man's face he replied that he had ten men in town could make him pay. This naturally riled Mr. Callahan and he reached the restaurant with a blow on the face. One eye was badly damaged. The jury failed to agree, and on motion the case was dismissed.

Enthusiastic.

B. T. Brown, Mining Recorder for Patterson District, is in town. He is so confident that the Sweetwater mines are going to be a success that already Bodie District appears like a very small affair. Mr. Brown says the whole belt is banked up with minerals; the ledges are wide and numerous. He thinks that Dr. Summers' Patented, Martin Jones, Dr. Deal and several other gentlemen well known here, have bonanza right now, to say nothing about what may be found beneath the surface a few hundred feet. It is the opinion of all who have looked at the Patterson District that is a very promising section. The formation is strong and the belt is three miles wide by eight or ten long, so says the Recorder. Meanwhile prospecting and the location of claims goes steadily on.

Grand Bouquet and Buttonier Soiree.

A grand bouquet and Buttonier party will be given by Professor Berliner next Friday evening, September 16th, at Miners Union Hall. Every lady will be presented with a bouquet and every gentleman with a boutonniere. The choice and most elegant flowers, just ordered from San Francisco. The parties of Prof. Berliner being the most popular given in Bodie, no pains will be spared to please the ladies and gentlemen patrons, and make this entertainment as enjoyable as possible. All persons wishing to enjoy a pleasant and refined evening are cordially invited. None but the best musical talent of Bodie will be in attendance. Admission \$1.

Fresh Oysters.

John Wagner has just received another invoice of delicious Eastern oysters in the shell. Call for a dish. They are the best in town.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

What is Being Said and Done to a Small Way.

Stage travel continues brisk. Governor Blasdel is in Anorora. Old papers for sale at the office.

George Wheaton left to-day on the stage.

Judge Thomas Ryan is again in Bodie, and ready for business.

Joseph Naphtaly, Esq., the San Francisco attorney, is in town.

Elegant rooms, single or en suite, can be found at the Occidental Hotel.

A large key was found on Main street a few days ago. It is at this office.

Ex-Governor Blasdel, it is said, has purchased the Antelope Mill in Anorora. The Weekly Standard-News will be out to-morrow. Send a copy to your friends.

Harry Battin left this morning for Inyo county and will be absent for some time.

Nick Baule is now conducting the first stand adjoining the telephone office.

Smiling Julia was arrested Monday for indecent conduct. She will have a trial on Wednesday.

The finder of a gold pin, the shape of a leaf, will be well rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Rev. F. M. Warrington left last evening on the stage to attend the Methodist Conference in Carson.

The funeral of Ella J. Mills took place on Sunday morning from her parents' residence on Mono street.

Charles Kelly & Co. have some handsome furniture in their establishment, which they sell very cheap.

Stevens & Smith sold a large amount of furniture yesterday at auction. Goods can always be bought cheap at this house.

Colonel Ferguson was on the streets yesterday. He has not quite recovered from his injuries, but is feeling comfortable.

Soldier Winchester rides, perfectly new, for sale at the square dealing house of Uncle Harris, 221 Kearney, between Bush and Sutter streets.

A crooked sidewalk at the lower end of town threw a slight mechanical difficulty on the gutter Sunday night. He struck on his face, but was not badly injured.

Stabbed in the Face.
The Homer Index of the 10th says: At an early hour this morning a Portuguese known as Rafael, a miner employed at the May Lundy mine, assaulted another miner at the same place named Charles O'Malley, inflicting a ghastly wound in the latter's face by a deep stab from a miner's candlestick.

The sharp-pointed instrument entered just to the left of the nose, about mid-way between the mouth and eye, crushed into the base of the upper teeth, and appeared to have been twisted and forced back toward the ear, tearing a frightful gash across the lower portion of the cheek. The Portuguese immediately fled, and shortly afterward Jim Ellis, another miner, armed with a shotgun and accompanied by the wounded man, started in pursuit, arriving in town about 6 o'clock, but failing to find the object of their search. No particulars could be obtained as to the cause of the assault, further than it was stated that Rafael had been "ugly," and apparently looking for a fight for several days.

God and Prayer.

A Bodie man who believes in foreordination and predestination is reckless enough to believe that it is useless to pray for the restoration of a sick person to health. If God has marked out the course of every person, how long life should last, etc., can He be made to change His mind? The scriptures say that God knows what we want before we ask it. If that be so why should we ask him to grant a request that is already furnished by the divine decree? Does God care for the prayers of the people? What is the use of praying for anything that transpires in this world; what is should be. A great many people consequently do not believe in the power of prayer.

A Great Sacrifice.

The real estate and personal property of the Mammoth Mining Company that was recently sold by Sheriff Shovers went for less than a "song." As a sample we may cite 274 tons of soda sold for \$50 for the lot. The real estate—mine, etc., brought only \$15,100, and the personal property, which was worth tens of thousands of dollars, brought only \$721 33—and that is the way everything goes in a dead mining camp. The mine was bid in by the Bank of California, but the personal property was sold to different parties, the Bodie Tunnel Company being a large purchaser.

Did Not Win.

The Bodie horses did not win at the Placerville races. On the 8th the third race was half a mile and repeat, with the following entries: Running race—H. E. Barton, Lake Valley, b. m. Belle Barton; A. C. Smith, Plymouth, s. g. Billy; W. Hammon, Placerville, s. g. Nellie; W. W. Smith, Bodie, s. m. Nellie O'Malley; W. L. Gilbert, Bodie, s. g. Joe Kennedy. Joe Kennedy won the first heat, Billy the second and third and the race. Belle Barton second, Nellie O'Malley third. Time, 5:24—5:34—5:44. The attendance was the largest ever seen on the track.

A Valuable Property.

Byron Rowe, the elastic typographical engineer of Anorora, was in Bodie Sunday and Monday. He has a mine over in Grab District called the Maid of Athens which he is enthusiastic over. A steep ladder fifteen feet long has been erected and the top of the croppings has not yet been reached. As soon as Mr. Rowe gets his toll road franchise from the county he will commence stoking ore to meade-nize it.

Grading Completed.

The grading on the Mono Lake Railroad has been completed, and the graders paid off. Tracklaying has been commenced, and a mile is now down and the engine is running over it. It is expected that a mile a day will be laid, and the road will be completed by the 20th of October. A considerable amount of wood and lumber will be brought in by it this fall.

All Right.

The Footlight says: Colonel Fair took a trip through the north end mines yesterday. It is said that he found all the precautions to guard against finding an ore body in Sierra Nevada well and carefully executed.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Department No. 2—Judge M. P. Wiggins on the Bench.

The Superior Court of Mono county was convened yesterday and the following business was transacted:

J. M. Miller et al. vs. G. W. Butler, field, plaintiff, to prepare an interlocutory decree. Ben. H. Miller was appointed referee to state an account between the plaintiff and defendant.

J. W. Hemmaway vs. Z. M. Forrest—set for September 19th.

Henry Burroughs vs. Henry Fitzhugh et al.—continued for the term.

H. Konard vs. James Hoskins—continued for the term.

I. S. Kikeland vs. Mt. Dana Mining Company; Rosenwald, Coblenz & Co. vs. Mt. Dana Mining Company; Henry Talon vs. Mt. Dana Mining Company—passed for the present.

Fred K. Moore vs. S. G. Stebbins, Constable—passed.

E. B. Stewart vs. S. B. Smith—passed for the present.

Mono County vs. S. W. Stewart—set for September 19th.

Margaret Moorehouse vs. Thomas Moorehouse—demurrer withdrawn and ten days to answer.

Osborne & Cleveland vs. South Bodie Conde—set for September 19th.

J. H. Taylor vs. S. A. Middleton—set for September 29th; jury demanded by the plaintiff.

S. W. Smith vs. Creditors—A. I. Weller appointed assignee; bonds filed at \$15,000.

Frank Brown vs. His Creditors—Sheriff appointed assignee.

John Bennett vs. A. W. Burrill—set for September 14th.

J. L. Greeley vs. B. F. Butler et al.—demurrers of Gallagher and Osborne & Cleveland withdrawn; ten days to answer; default entered against Butler.

Estate of J. F. Kirgan—Dr. Deal appointed administrator.

Estate of John Rees—Robert Cochran appointed administrator.

Mary Gillespie vs. Wheaton & Luhrs—continued; to be tried after the case of Nellie Smith vs. Goodshar Mining Company; the Smith-Goodshar case commences on September 15th.

S. B. Smith vs. His Creditors—order made changing the amount of the sale of personal property from \$3700 to \$5400; receiver discharged.

Drawn Off.

The Southern Transportation Company elsewhere announce their determination to draw off their line between Bodie and Carson on and after this date. Their reasons for so doing are that the rates of freight are too low to permit of hauling at a profit. They will turn out their stock for the present, and should freight be materially raised they promise to start in again. The "F. O. Co.," or "Fast Freight," as they have

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1881.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

BODIE LODGE NO. 202, F. and A. M.—Regular communications—third Saturday of each month. All meetings every Saturday evening, 8 o'clock. Main street, corner Main and King streets. Refreshments are cordially invited. By order, J. C. TURNER, Sec'y.

MASONIC.

BODIE ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER NO. 55—Regular communications—the first Wednesday evening of each month. Special communications Wednesday evening of each week. By order, E. J. CHAMBERLIN, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

MONO LODGE NO. 1, F. and A. M.—Regular communications—third Saturday of each month. All meetings every Saturday evening, 8 o'clock. Main street, corner Main and King streets. Refreshments are cordially invited. By order, J. C. TURNER, Sec'y.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF BODIE

Lodge No. 143 are held every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, at A. O. U. W. Hall, 300 Main street. W. in good standing are cordially invited to attend. By order, S. B. FERGUSON, M. W.

I. O. O. F.

BODIE LODGE NO. 77, MEETS AT ODD Fellows' Hall every Thursday evening. All Odd Fellows in good standing are cordially invited to attend. By order, C. M. STEVENS, N. G.

MASONIC.

BODIE COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS Templars No. 15 hold regular meetings on the first Monday evening of each month. By order, C. A. RICHARDSON, Recorder.

PAY DAY NOTICES.

PAY DAY NOTICE.—All persons holding claims against this company must present their bills in duplicate on or before the first day of each month, and payment will be made on the 15th, it being imperative that parties should call at the office on that day and receive their checks. WM. IRWIN, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All parties having claims against the Bulwer Consolidated Mining Company must present their bills in duplicate on the 1st day of each month at the office of the company. WM. IRWIN, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All persons holding claims against the Great Sierra Mining Company must present their bills in duplicate on the 1st day of each month in duplicate and payment will be made on the 15th, otherwise they will be held over till the next month. O. H. BROOKS, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

Persons holding claims against the Tioja Consolidated Mining Company must present them on or before the first day of each month or they will be compelled to lie over until the succeeding pay day. C. H. GOLDING, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All parties holding claims against the North Standard Mining Company must present the same on or before the first day of each month, signed on or before the first day of each month, for payment. HARRY LORRYA.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

Parties holding claims against the Bodie Co. Mining Company must present them on or before the 1st day of each month for payment. H. A. WHITE, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

The Noonday and North Noonday Mining Companies will pay mine labor on the 15th, mill labor on the 15th, and other bills on the 15th of each month. All bills must be presented in duplicate on or before the first day of the month. SAMUEL L. DIXON, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All parties holding bills against the Adenda Mining Company must present the same on or before the first day of each month, when payment will be made on the 15th. JOHN C. TURNER, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All persons holding claims against the Oro Mining Company must present them on the 1st day of each month, in duplicate, and payment will be made on the 15th, otherwise they will be held over till the next month. THOS. STEEL, Sup't.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

Parties having accounts against the May Lundy mine will please present them on or before the first day of each month and payment will be made on the 20th. The first payment after the first is over until the next pay day. FOX & KELLOGG, Managers.

PAY DAY NOTICE.

All the bills against the Bodie Tunnel and Mining, Goodshaw Mining Company, the First Day Mill and the new Bodie Tunnel Mill, must be presented at the office of said companies in McQuaid's building by the 1st of each month and payment will be made on the 10th of the month. THOMAS BUCKLEY, Sup't.

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